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SUBJECT: GUINEA SECURITY CONCERNS - DRAFT CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE

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1. PRIMIN BEAVOGUI REACTED VERY POSITIVELY TO THE IDEA OF A PERSONAL MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT TOURE FOR NOVEMBER 22. WE DO NOT KNOW TO WHAT EXTENT SUCH MESSAGE MIGHT BE ACCEPTED AS "U.S. SECURITY GUARANTEE", BUT THE MESSAGE WOULD AT THE LEAST HELP US TO KEEP OPEN THE POSSIBILITY OF ARRESTING SOVIET SURVEILLANCE FLIGHTS.

2. BELIEVE MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT TOURE MIGHT USEFULLY READ ALONG LINES FOLLOWING DRAFT" "PLEASE ACCEPT MY CONGRATULATIONS ON THE SIXTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE VICTORY OF THE GUINEAN PEOPLE OVER FOREIGN INVASION FORCES ON NOVEMBER 22, 1970.

3. THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA MAINTAINS ITS FULL RESPECT FOR THE SOVEREIGNTY AND TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF THE REPUBLIC OF GUINEA AND OF ALL THE INDEPENDENT STATES OF THE AFRICAN CONTINENT. THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES FIRMLY OPPOSES THE ILLEGAL VIOLATION OF NATIONAL FRONTIERS BY ANY OUTSIDE FORCES. THE UNITED STATES ASSOCIATES ITSELF WITH AFRICAN ASPIRATIONS FOR SELF DETERMINATION, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WITH HUMAN
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DIGNITY, AND FREEDOM FROM OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE; THE UNITED

STATES SUPPORTS THE WILL OF AFRICANS TO FIND PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS TO REGIONAL DIFFERENCES.

4. THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA CONGRATULATES THE GOVERNMENT OF GUINEA ON ITS DECLARED INTENTION TO PURSUE AN ABSOLUTELY INDEPENDENT AND NON-ALIGNED FOREIGN POLICY.

5. I SEND CORDIAL BEST WISHES TO THE VALIANT PEOPLE OF GUINEA ON THIS HISTORIC ANNIVERSARY." HARROP

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